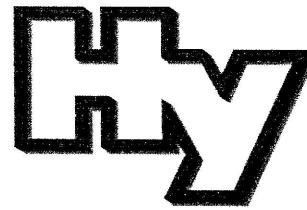


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## TEST CERTIFICATE

in accordance with the KTW-Recommendations  
of the Working Group "Trinkwasserbelange" of the  
Kunststoff-Kommission des Bundesgesundheitsamtes  
(Plastics Commission of the German Federal Agency)  
and according to DIN 51178 "physiological harmless"

**Order of:** 15.03.2006 (reference: VE/JM)

**Application:** drinking water "ancillaries"

**Test Material:** ENAMEL G 3394/SB (cobalt blue)

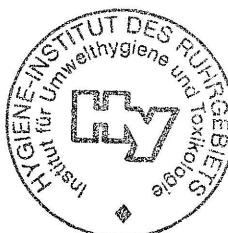
**Specimen:** plates of cast iron with enamel coating  
100 mm x 100 mm x 9 mm

**Date of receipt:** 20.03.2006

**Date of performance of  
the test:** (experimental) 28.04.2006 to 08.05.2006

The Director of the Hygiene-Institute  
on behalf of

Dr. rer. nat. Andreas Koch  
Head of the Dept. for water  
hygienic material testings



This test certificate is valid beginning with the date of issue and is ending by **06.06.2016**, as far as there are no changes in the formula.

This test certificate consists of 3 pages.

The assessment was based on the assumption that the used starting substances and monomers used to manufacture the product may completely known and no other substances are present in the product. The validity of this document expires in case of modifications in the composition of the product or the processing conditions. The results and evaluations refer to the groups of test items. This document may not be published without our written permission only complete and unchanged or duplicated.



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**Test Method:**

Plates of cast iron with enamel coating G 3394/SB (cobalt blue) were tested according to the methods published by the Working Group "Trinkwasserbelange" (Drinking Water Affairs) of the Plastics Commission of the German Federal Health Agency ("Assessment of plastics and other non-metallic materials from the hygienic point of view in the scope of the Law for Foodstuffs and Requirements for the Drinking Water Area", Bundesgesundheitblatt, Vol. 20, 1977, page 124 ff.).

Following DIN 51178 "Vitreous and porcelain enamels – inside and outside enamelled valves and pressure pipe fittings for untreated and potable water supply" the test waters of the parallel test were examined with regard to total organic carbon (TOC), lead and cadmium.

The test results are tabulated on page 3.

**Assessment:**

The release of organic compounds, measured by the sum parameter "total organic carbon" TOC, in the relevant 3<sup>rd</sup> migration period is lower than the detection limit of 1 mg/m<sup>2</sup> x day (the limit value for ancillaries is 15 mg/m<sup>2</sup> x day). The release of lead and cadmium lies also below the detection limit. The surface values meet the requirements for enamel used in the drinking water area. The concentrations of the parameters in the test water are significantly lower than the limit values in each case. Based on the test results there is no objection against the use of the enamel G 3394/SB (cobalt blue) for the internal coating of ancillaries (valves, fittings) from the hygienic point of view.

АРМАЦЕНТР

**Test of the physiological harmlessness  
following DIN 51178 paragraph 4.5  
(in accordance to the KTW-Recommendations)**

**cold water test (23 °C)**

**Test material:** EMAIL G 3394/SB (cobalt blue)

Test conditions:

coated surface (enamel): 900 cm<sup>2</sup>

test water: 1000 ml

test period: 28.04. to 08.05.2006 (3 times for three days subsequently)

pre-treatment: 24 hours prewashing, 2 hours rinsing

Application: drinking water "ancillaries"

Parameter		test water			control water
		1.-3. day	4.-6. day	7.-9. day	
total organic carbon (TOC)	mg/l	<0,1	<0,1	<0,1	<0,1
lead (Pb)	mg/l	<0,001	<0,001	<0,001	<0,001
cadmium (Cd)	mg/l	<0,001	<0,0001	<0,0001	<0,0001
		coating area values: enamel			limit
total organic carbon (TOC)	mg/m <sup>2</sup> x day	<1	<1	<1	15,0
lead (Pb)	mg/m <sup>2</sup> x day	<0,01	<0,01	<0,01	0,3
cadmium (Cd)	mg/m <sup>2</sup> x day	<0,001	<0,001	<0,001	0,03

The test results are arithmetic means of two parallel tests.



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The accreditation certificate shall only apply in connection with the notice of accreditation of 12.11.2010 with the accreditation number D-PL-13042-02 and is valid until 18.06.2014. It comprises the cover sheet, the reverse side of the cover sheet and the following annex with a total of 66 pages.

Registration number of the certificate: D-PL-13042-02-00

Berlin, 12.11.2010

*p.-p. Valbuena*  
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Head of Division

This document is a translation. The definitive version is the original German accreditation certificate.

See notes overleaf.

# ZERTIFIKAT

LW-BU0440

## über die Anerkennung als DVGW-Prüflaboratorium

*Das Prüflaboratorium*

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